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POST OFFICE HOURS.

Office open at 7 A. M., closes at 7½ P. M. Money Order and Registering office open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

MAILS ARRIVE

From West, St. Louis and Pekin	11:30	A. M.
" East	12:30	P. M.
" Mattoon	1:00	"
" North	5:20	"
" South Paris, Chicago, & East of Lafayette	6:30	A. M.

MAILS CLOSE

For East	10:15	A. M.
" Paris	11:00	"
" West, St. Louis and Pekin	11:20	"
" Chicago and Mattoon	2:30	P. M.
" South	4:30	"
" North & East	7:30	"

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, OCT. 20, 1873, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger leaves	12,55 p m
Freight and Accommodation	7,00 a m
Passenger from East arrives at Decatur	11,40 a m
Freight and Accommodation	6,05 p m

H. C. MOORE, Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola.

C. V. LEWIS, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agt., Tuscola.

GEO. A. DEAN, Agent, Decatur.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.

2.11 A. M. ..... 5:50 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

1.31 A. M. ..... 3:25 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.

3:00 A. M. ..... 3:10 P. M.
10.51 A. M. ..... 10.15 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

9.00 A. M. ..... 3:10—10.15 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't. W. P. JOHNSON, Gen. pass. agt. } Chicag

C. O. JUDSON agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, Nov. 2, 1873, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave Toledo	11 45 a. m
Arrive Decatur	11 50 " m
Leave Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive Quincy	6 50 p. m
" Keokuk	9 15 p. m
" St. Louis	1 00 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave Toledo	12 15 p. m
Arrive Decatur	2.50 a. m
Leave Decatur	3 05 a. m
Arrive Quincy	10 30 a. m
" Keokuk	11 15 a. m
" St. Louis	7 15 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave St Louis	7 00 a. m
" Quincy	5 00 a. m
Arrive Decatur	11 30 a. m
Leave Decatur	11 50 a. m
Arrive Toledo	2 20 a. m

SPECIAL NEW YORK EXPRESS.

Leave St Louis	7 00 p. m
" Keokuk	1 15 p. m
" Quincy	5 25 p. m
Arrive Decatur	11 00 p. m
Leave Decatur	11'10 p. m
Arrive Toledo	10.20 a. m

The following Freight carry passengers with tickets:

Going east	8 00 p m
Going west	5 30 a m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West	12 10 p. m
" " Accom. "	6 50 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East	8 00 a. m
" " Accom. "	4 00 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Lafayette, Ind.

W. F. MALCOLM, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't, Toledo

K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Paris and Decatur R. R.

ON AND AFTER AUGUST 18, and until further notice, Trains will run as follows:

EASTWARD.

LIGHTNING EXPRESS.

No. 1 leaves Decatur	11:30 a. m
Arrives at Paris	2:30 p. m
" " Indianapolis	6:10 "

ACCOMMODATION.

No. 3 leaves Decatur	2:50 p. m.
Arrives at Mattoon	6 10 p. m.

WESTWARD

LIGHTNING EXPRESS.

No 2 leaves Paris	6:45 p. m.
Arrives at Decatur	10:15 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION.

No 4 leaves Paris at	6:00 a. m
Arrives at Decatur at	12 15 a. m

☞ No 1 Express has through car for Indianapolis.

MATTOON ACCOMMODATION.

No 6 leaves Mattoon at	8 50 a. m.
Arrives at Decatur at	12:35 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION

No 8 leaves Decatur at	2:50 p. m
Arrives at Mattoon at	6,20 p. m.

Tickets can be procured at the Ill. Central ticket office

C. G. MAC, Gen'l Sup't.

CHILION JONES, Gen. Passenger Ag't.

C. H. BROWN, Agent Decatur.

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VIA

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, AUG. 18th, a Lightning Express Train will leave Decatur at 11:30 a. m., on the arrival of trains from Quincy, Pekin and St. Louis—running through to Indianapolis without change; arriving at Paris at 2:45 p m., Terre Haute at 6 10 p. m., and Indianapolis at 9 10 p. m., making close connections for Louisville, Columbus, Cincinnati, New York, and all points East and South.

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CHILION JONES, Gen. Pass. Ag't.

August 11, 1873—dtf.

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October 16, 1873-dóm-wly.

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1.	**Fevers**, Congestion, Inflammations,	25
2.	**Worms**, Worm Fever, Worm Colic,	25
3.	**Crying-Colic**, or Teething of Infants,	25
4.	**Diarrhea**, of Children or Adults,	25
5.	**Dysentery**, Griping, Bilious Colic,	25
6.	**Cholera-Morbus**, Vomiting,	25
7.	**Cough**, Cold, Bronchitis,	25
8.	**Neuralgia**, Toothache, Faceache,	25
9.	**Headaches**, Sick Headache, Vertigo,	25
10.	**Dyspepsia**, Bilious Stomach,	25
11.	**Suppressed**, or Painful Periods,	25
12.	**Whites**, too Profuse Periods,	25
13.	**Croup**, Cough, Difficult Breathing,	25
14.	**Salt Rheum**, Erysipelas, Eruptions,	25
15.	**Rheumatism**, Rheumatic Pains,	25
16.	**Fever and Ague**, Chill Fever, Agues,	50
17.	**Piles**, Blind or Bleeding,	50
18.	**Ophthalmy**, and Sore or Weak Eyes,	50
19.	**Catarrh**, acute or chronic, Influenza,	50
20.	**Whooping-Cough**, violent coughs,	50
21.	**Asthma**, oppressed Breathing,	50
22.	**Ear Discharges**, impaired hearing,	50
23.	**Scrofula**, enlarged glands, Swellings,	50
24.	**General Debility**, Physical Weakness,	50
25.	**Dropsy** and scanty Secretions,	50
26.	**Sea-Sickness**, sickness from riding,	50
27.	**Kidney-Disease**, Gravel,	50
28.	**Nervous Debility**, Seminal Weakness or involuntary discharges,	1 00
29.	**Sore Mouth**, Canker,	50
30.	**Urinary Weakness**, wetting the bed,	50
31.	**Painful Periods**, with Spasms,	50
32.	**Sufferings** at change of life,	1 00
33.	**Epilepsey**, Spasms, St. Vitus' Dance,	1 00
34.	**Diphtheria**, ulcerated sore throat,	50
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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a suit is now pending on the chancery side of the Circuit Court of Macon county, State of Illinois, wherein ELIA A. RIES is complainant and John H. Ries is defendant; and that summons has been issued in said cause, returnable into said court on the

1st Monday in December, A. D. 1873,

At the Court-house in Decatur, in the county and state aforesaid, when and where said defendant is required to appear and demur, plead or answer to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him.

H. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Macon Co. Circuit Court,

R. H. MERIWEATHER, Sol. for Compl't.

October 9, 1873-w4t.

HOW TO COOK CRANBERRIES.

The culinary art can be well employed on these acidulated berries, as any house keeper who tries these directions will find. Only one hint to the ladies may be necessary in this connection, and this is, buy only red cranberries They alone are ripe, and a few white berries, with their acid, will as effectually demoralize a dish of sauce as, according to Josh Billings, one enthusiastic hornet will disperse a camp meeting.

Remove all defective berries, and wash the rest through several waters. To every pound of fruit add a pound of sugar. Put them into a preserving kettle over a fire; stew slowly. To prevent the berries from sticking to the kettle stir them frequently with a silver spoon. When done, turn them into a deep dish, and set them aside to cool; after which they may be used for pies, tarts, or sauce.

For Sauce.—When for sauce mash them fine through a colander, and put them into small moulds suitable for the table, having first dipped the moulds to prevent the berries from sticking.

For Jelly.—To a quart of water add four quarts of fruit, and when the berries become very soft by stewing, strain the juice through a bag, and put a pound of white sugar to every pint of the liquid. Pour the juice into a porcelain lined kettle, and boil and skim it until the jelly is produced. Test this by occasionally dropping a spoonful of hot liquid into cold water When it sinks to the bottom without mixing with the water, it must be taken from the fire and poured while warm into glasses. Twenty-four hours later paste brandied paper tightly over the glasses.

Preserves.—Select firm cherry colored berries, very dark ones have a dingy look after boiling. Dissolve the sugar in a little water in porcelain lined kettle; one pound of sugar for every quart of berries. Drop in the berries while the liquid is cold and heat up gradually. Do not cover the bottom of the kettle with cranberries deeper than two inches Boil gently about fifteen minutes; if boiled too long the fruit will go to pieces Seal up in jars.—*Cor. Forney's Weekly Press.*

THE honest farmers of Rhode Island are, no doubt, a God-fearing folk, but they are gradually acquiring modern ideas of "happiness." An enterprising rustic near Providence had a cow to sell lately, and a purchaser made an appointment to come and see her. The farmer arranged that his man should be milking the cow when the purchaser arrived, and had three pails on hand, each half filled with water. The man milked vigorously, and filled the three pails one after another, to the astonishment of the purchaser, who at once closed the bargain at a very high figure.

NEBRASKA'S new laws impose fines for profane swearing done by "any person of the age of fourteen years and upwards." Children under fourteen may blaspheme gratuitously as before

AN unstamped letter was deposited in the post office, last week, and underneath the address was the indorsement, "Let her slide, P. M., she's all hunk; inside are one of them post hole kocrds,"—*Holden (Mo) Enterprise.*

PRECOCITIES.

Julius Cæsar married at seventeen.

Owen Meredith had read Locke at eight.

Comly culminated when his eyes opened.

Andy Johnson made breeches at eleven.

Cleopatra conquered Cæsar at twenty-one.

Jonah's gourd made an arbour in one night.

Milton was a distinguished Latin poet at sixteen.

Mozart played exquisitely on the harpsichord at four.

The great Napoleon blacked his brother Joseph's eye at three

Cromwell entered college at sixteen, the day Shakspeare died.

Byron wrote his "English Bards and Scotch Reviewers" at nineteen

Alexander read the Iliad at eight, though it was all Greek to him

Hercules had snakes in his cradle.—Eve had 'em before she was a year old.

Charming Marie Antoinette was married at fifteen, and saw the sun rise at sixteen.

John Lindsay has dreamed about being County Judge ever since he was five years old.

Murat Halstead wrote the Red-Haired Maiden of the Big Blue Miami at nineteen.

Gottschalk wrote a waltz at twelve, and waltzed away with his neighbor's wife at eighteen

On the second day of this infants existence William Allen's lamentations echoed against the mosques of Constantinople.

When Noah was a festive boy of nine hundred, he got drunk and cursed Ham because he did not put the bed-clothes over him

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Decatur, Sept. 11, 1873—dawly.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

Circuit Court of Macon county, of the December term, A. D. 1873

ROBERT A. PASLEY, } *In Attachment.*
vs.
JOHN DAVIS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the said John Davis, that a Writ of Attachment has been issued out of the office of the clerk of said court, on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1873, at the suit of said Robert A. Pasley, and against the estate of you, the said John Davis for the sum of One Hundred and Fifteen Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said county to execute.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said John Davis, shall personally be and appear before the said court on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court-house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday in the month of December, A. D 1873,

and give special bail and plead to said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you in favor of said plaintiff, and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

JNO. W. SMITH, Plf's Att'y.

October 24, 1873—d3w.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the December term, A. D. 1873.

MARTHA J. BIDWELL, } IN CHANCERY.
vs.
GILBERT W. BIDWELL.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Gilbert W. Bidwell, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Gilbert W. Bidwell, that the complainant herein before filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof; and that a summons thereupon issued out of the said court against said defendant, returnable on the first Monday of December next, 1873, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Gilbert W. Bidwell, shall personally be and appear before the Circuit Court of Macon county on the first day of the term thereof to be holden at Decatur, in said county, on the

1st Monday of December, 1873,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk

JESSE M. KERR, Compl't's Sol.

October 11, 1873—d10w.

REMOVAL.

Wm. Lintner & Co.,

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D. L. DUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over Faulden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [Feb.8-'71

A. BROWER DUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [Feb 8 '73

St. Nicholas Hotel,

NICOLAUX & BRO, PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois *Bus to and from the depot.* aug1-tf

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

Dr. A. S. Waltz,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. June 16, 1873—d3m08*

C. C. McCommas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 8 north west corner of East Main and Water streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

B. I. Sterrett,

ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-daw tf

E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store, with Eden & Odor. [a23-dly

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [J11-daw1

E. PARK. THOS LEE

PARK & LEE,

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Millikin's Bank.

EDWIN PARK, Notary Public. [dec18,'72-tf.

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's carpet store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf

I. L. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hilde brandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

E. M. MISNER

Justice of the Peace

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, Nov. 3.

FARMERS' COUNTY TICKET.

FOR JUDGE,
S. P. GREER.
FOR CLERK,
READ SPENCER.
FOR TREASURER,
R. H. PARK.
FOR SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOLS,
S. P. NICKEY.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

The following proclamation has been promulgated by the President of the United States:

A PROCLAMATION — The approaching close of another year brings with it occasion for renewed thanksgiving and acknowledgement to the Almighty Ruler of the universe for the mercies which he has bestowed upon us. Abundant harvests have been among the rewards of industry; with local exceptions, health has been among the many blessings enjoyed; tranquility at home and peace with other nations have prevailed; frugality and industry are gaining their merited position and reward under the providence of God, surely as we trust, and the nation is recovering from the lingering result of the dreadful civil strife. For these and all other mercies vouchsafed, it becomes us as a people, to return heartfelt and grateful acknowledgements, and with our thanksgiving for the blessings we may unite prayers for the cessation of local and temporary suffering. I therefore recommend that on Thursday, the 27th day of November, the people meet in their respective places of worship to make their acknowledgement to Almighty God for his bounties and his protection, and offer to him prayers for their continuance:

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the City of Washington, this 15th day of October, in the year of our Lord, 1873, and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-seventh. U. S. GRANT.

By the President,
HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, October 23, 1873.

In obedience to custom, and in conformity with the action of the President, I, John L. Beveridge, Governor of the State of Illinois, do appoint THURSDAY, the 27th day of November next, a day of Thanksgiving to Almighty God for the mercies and blessings of another year. Let all the people give thanks in the sanctuary, rejoice at home, and be glad in their hearts.

CITIZENSHIP NOT APPRECIATED.

The following interesting facts, furnished by the New York *Times*, demonstrate beyond all controversy, that there are a large number of legal voters in this country who neither appreciate their privileges, nor realize their responsibilities as free American citizens. They are so much absorbed in their own business, pleasures and selfish aims as to entirely neglect their duties as citizens, and permit others to choose their rulers and fix the rates of taxation, etc.:

"The number of men of voting age in the United States last year was nearly nine millions. The number of those who voted for President was less than six and a half millions. The number of males over twenty-one in New York in 1870 was nearly a million. The number of those who voted in that year was only three-fourths of a million. Of course some allowance must be made for the fact that a considerable number of men of voting age are not legal voters. But the discrepancy would still be very great. These facts are well worth study."

A NOVEL application of ice was made in St. Louis the other day, when forty-five tons were used to cool and thus contract the iron tubes of the mammoth suspension bridge across the Mississippi to allow the insertion of the connecting tubes.

A HARD winter is closing in on the country. If nothing worse happens, business will be dull, thousands of industrious workmen will be thrown out of employment, and privations and suffering will prevail. It therefore behooves every body to trim sails accordingly. Charity and economy should be the watchwords.

THE Cincinnati *Commercial* has been "cussed" by an Archbishop, and yet the preposterous paper isn't withered in its extremeties, and comes out regularly just as if othing had happened.

THE old hunters and "men of the border" say that winter has not set in, the present cold snap being only the precursor of Indian summer. In support of the assertion they cite the fact that the blackbirds and other migratory birds have not left us; that the muskrat houses are small and light, indicating a late and mild winter, and that the bass have only just commenced going up the creeks. We had an early and severe winter, a year ago, when all of these signs were different. The wild geese visited us a month earlier than this fall, and everything indicated the advent of winter in earnest.

PECULIARITY OF THE IOWA ELECTION.—The Dubuque *Times* thus notices one peculiarity of the Iowa elections: "Women have been elected School Superintendents in eight or ten counties in Iowa this fall. In some counties women were defeated on account of their sex, while the rest of the ticket were elected; in some, they ran far ahead of their ticket. In Floyd county, Mrs. Helen R. Duncan, Republican, got 500 majority. In Marshall county, Miss Abbie Gifford, Republican got 1,429 votes, while the poor wretch of a man running against her got eight votes, all told. In Monona county, Sarah Fulton—domestic title, whether Miss or Mrs., not given in the returns—running on the Anti-Monopoly ticket, has 150 majority Anti-Monopoly young lady is also elected in Henry county."

THE Financier gives three maxims for business men to regulate their course by in hard times: (1) "Neither croak, nor encourage croaking." (2) "Act, and also think, with some regard to the interests and welfare of others." (3) "To act with some courage, feel some yourself." The maxims quoted are certainly admirable; had their suggestions been followed weeks ago people would not now be grumbling about the pinching times.

WE learn from the Washington *Chronicle* that the Long Branch scandal against Senator Carpenter has been thoroughly investigated, and found to have this basis of fact, and no more: Mr. Carpenter, and about twenty others, including the wife of a gentleman then and now a personal friend of the Senator, applied to the West End Hotel, Long Branch, for rooms, but were unable to get them for the reason that they were all occupied in advance of their arrival. The party was obliged, of course, to go to another hotel. The books of the West End House show that on that day every room was filled before the hour of arrival of Mr Carpenter and his fellow travelers The original allegation was that the Senator had been turned away from a Long Branch hotel, and that "the proprietor and the Senator knew best the reason" From this innuendo the slander grew.

THE estimated value of all farming lands in the United States in 1870 is a little more than $9,000,000,000 against $6,500,000,000 in 1860. The increase in some of the Northern States is most extraordinary. Indiana has nearly doubled in valuation; Illinois and Michigan have nearly doubled theirs.; while Iowa, most remarkable of all, has grown up from $119,000,000 in 1860, to almost $400,000,000 in 1870.—The Southern States are slowly going backward. This decline will doubtless continue for many years. In the British West Indies, values have steadily declined from the date of emancipation

HORATIO SEYMOUR was nominated by the Democrats of his county for the legislature, but he declined. It wasn't because he was averse to the office, but that he feared he would be defeated. He has been beaten so often that he is getting nervous about being a candidate.

MR. ROBERT TOOMBS, of Georgia, says he would shake hands with the devil himself in order to defeat the Republican party. Toombs and his associates have been for some years working in that partnership without much success. His Satanic Majesty needs better talent here than the fire eaters of the south, to dethrone the Republican party.

OUR export trade promises to remain unusually brisk, particularly while Europe continues to make such heavy drafts on us. Grain of every description is called for to an extent that renders it almost impossible to supply the demand in any proportion to the eagerness and urgency with which it is made.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The failure of Hoyt Sprague & Co., and rumors regarding Claflin&Co., has called attention to the dry goods trade, and inquiry shows that transactions are slight and confined to current wants. The course of Claflin & Co., in sending word to the clearing house that they would not deliberate longer in their case, and that their own banks and mercantile friends were sufficient for their necessities, did a great deal toward reassuring the business community that merchants have faith in each other and are ready to assist one another. Members of the firm say that the house will not stop, that it is as solvent as any in the United States.

They admit suffering some embarrassment and having allowed some accounts to mature, but say all notes have been promptly met and will continue to be One of the firm stated that they overreached themselves in their endeavors to assist Hoyt, Sprague & Co., and intimated that they purchased $1,000,000 worth of goods of them this week. He added, "We are now negotiating for assistance; some is being sent from banks and other corporations. If we succeed everything will run along in their regular grooves If we fail to get assistance, we will be compelled to ask an extension—an extension upon our open accounts, not notes, for our current receipts are ample to meet calls. Now don't understand me to say a failure is at all probable; it is not possible. It is simply absurd to think such a thing possible"

The younger Pitt was Chancellor of the Exchequer at twenty three.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

THE SPRAGUE FAILURE

H. B. CLAFLIN & CO., ALL RIGHT.

MARRIAGE OF THE DUKE OF EDINBURG.

Yellow Fever Intelligence.

Brutal Murder at Springfield

PLYMOUTH CHURCH TRIALS.

NEW YORK, November 1.—The name of Theodore Tilton, at Plymouth Church, last night, was erased from the roll of its members. Tilton, who was present, denied the authority of the church in his case, owing to the fact that for four years previously he had not attended a meeting in Plymouth Church, and was not a member. He was prepared, however, to answer to anything whereof the minister of the church might accuse him. Mr. Beecher, in his address, said: "I don't believe that Mr. Tilton has desired, in any way whatever, to shirk his proper responsibility, or to avoid, or to evade, any proper charge to be made against him. I have none whatever. The differences between us have been amicably adjusted, and so far as I am concerned, buried. I have no charges. This whole matter has been against my judgment. I have said to the brethren who were interested in it, but have acted sincerely and honestly, I believe: 'You will only fail to take up this matter, stop the proper business of the church and reach the point at which you can do nothing. You will end just where you began,' and I hold it wise not to be called for, certainly not, according to my judgment. The matter of the church, that which I held from the beginning, I hold still."

NEW YORK, November 1 —Stokes has departed for Sing Sing.

Young Walworth has written a letter from Sing Sing to the keeper of the Toombs prison, in this city, in which he says "Please inform Ned Stokes that we are going to get up a first-rate reception for him in this glorious institution, as soon as he puts on the uniform and has his hair cut in the fashion."

NEW YORK, November 1.—The Banks have gained $4,000,000 in currency till noon to-day. They now hold $18,000,000. The lowest amount ever held was $5,820,000.

The specie shipments to-day were $284,000 in silver bars.

NEW YORK, November 1.—The extensive dry goods house of H. B. Claflin & Co. is freely spoken of this morning as in trouble. It is stated that an adjourned meeting of those who are interested in the house will be held at noon to-day.

LATER.

NEW YORK, November 1.—H. B. Claflin & Co. notified the Associated Banks to day that they were not in need of any assistance.

LAREST.—The house of H. B. Claflin is all right.

Stocks have fallen off, and the Bank of England has fixed the discount rate at 8 per cent.

The failure of James H. Jordan, stockbroker, is announced.

The bricklayers and masons will meet to-night and determine whether or not they will accept the situation and agree to the reduction of their wages that has been decided upon by employers. The bricklayers of Washington have commenced a strike.

The Commissioners of Charities are taking possession of unoccupied buildings belonging to the city, and are putting them in order so that shelter may be given to the homeless poor during the winter.

DUBUQUE, IA, November 1 —R. A. Babbage, the defaulting Cashier of the Merchants' National Bank, slipped out of town last Wednesday in a carriage, leaving for parts unknown He was last seen at the village of La Motte, Jackson county, Iowa. His departure was kept secret till last evening. His fear of the Grand Jury, which sits next week, probably accelerated his flight. No effort as yet is being made to capture him

PROVIDENCE, R. I., November 1.—At the adjourned meeting of the bank representatives to-day, the report of the committee to examine the affairs of A. and W. Sprague was presented. The committee say that they consider the assets of the A. and W. Sprague Manufacturing Company to be $19,495,247, and their liabilities $11,475,413; surplus, $8,019,804. A detailed statement of their property accompanies the report.

SPRINGFIELD, Nov. 2.—A most horrible murder was perpetrated here last night about 11 o'clock, by which Edward Gillespie, a coal miner, was the victim, and John Gavin, a stonecutter, the murderer. In this, as in nine-tenths of all the murders committed, whisky was the cause. Gillespie and Gavin were old friends, and last evening Gillespie visited Gavin, who lives on East Adams street, taking with him a bottle of whisky, which both partook of freely, and Gavin sent his wife out for a second bottle, which was also finished, and both were soon crazy drunk.

In the testimony taken before the Coroner's jury it was shown that Gavin who is a man of desperate passions, imagined, with or without reason, that Gillespie was taking too much liberty with his wife, and a quarrel ensued between Gavin and Gillespie, during which a loaded gun, which stood in the room, was seized by both parties and a terrible struggle took place for its possession, which was finally broken, the stock being left in the possession of Gillespie and the barrel in the hands of Gavin, who, with the fury of a lunatic, struck Gillespie on the head, crushing in the skull and felling him to the floor. But this did not satisfy the brute, Gavin, who again and again struck his victim until his head was literally crushed in and every rib in his body broken. Gavin then coolly walked to the police headquarters and gave himself up, but resisted fiercely when the officers put him in jail.

Gillespie was a coal miner, having worked at the north shaft for the past five years, and was a single man, with no relations known. He was considered a peaceable man, but a hard whisky drinker His body was given in charge of the miners of the north shaft, who will give it a respectable burial, Gavin is a stone cutter by trade, and has a family, constsing of a wife and a boy. Gavin admits the killing, but claims it was justifiable; but this story and the evidence given by his wife before the Coroner's jury do not agree. The verdict of the jury is in accordance with the above facts.

PARIS, Nov. 2.—Deputies of the Right are generally in favor of proclaiming a monarchy and appointing Prince deJoinville Lieutenant General of the kingdom at the re-opening of the Assembly. The Orleans princes have reiterated, verbally, assurances that they will not compete with each other for the throne.

The Orleans Princes have united in a formal declaration that they will not accept the lieutenancy of the kingdom, and this they do to avoid all appearances of competing with the Count de Chambord. All factions of the Right have consequently agreed to give a prolongation of President McMahon's powers: there is a difference of opinion as to the length of time—some favor making McMahon President for life, and others for extending his term six or ten years; all are determined to continue the existence of the present Assembly, and a motion will probably be introduced postponing its dissolution three years. It is rumored that an attempt will be made to arm the government with dictatorial powers similar to those granted in 1852, and to introduce a bill prohibiting elections for vacancies in the Assembly until the electoral law is amended. The Left have resolved to demand an immediate election to fill the vacant seats. It is stated that McMahon's forthcoming message to the Assembly will ask an extension of his term of office for so long a time as may be required to strengthen the authority of the government, in order to inspire the nation with confidence.

LONDON, November 1 —It is reported that the marriage of the Duke of Edinburgh to Princess Maria, of Russia, will be solemnized according to the forms of the Church of England, and that the Dean of Canterbury will go to St. Petersburg to perform the ceremony.

The Devon and Somerset railway, seven years building, was opened today.

Kob & Hildebrand keep constantly on hand every variety of fruit and vegetables, butter and eggs. Also a full supply of live and dressed poultry, Store—sign of the green front on Prairie street, second door from Water. 31 3t

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, November 3, 1873.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	.80@$1.00
" White "	1.00@1.10
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	4.50
" red "	4.00
" superfine, "	3.00
" middlings, "	2.00
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	65@70
RYE—₩ bushel	.15
COIN—₩ bushel	20
" shelled, per bush	.10
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton	12.00
OATS—₩ bushel	25
FLAXSEED—₩ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	2.50
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
HUNGARIAN	1.50
BEANS—₩ bushel	2.75
BUTTER—₩ lb	20
EGGS—per doz	15
LARD—₩ lb	07½
BACON—Sides	.10
HAMS—sugar-cured	15
SHOULDERS—per lb	.09
HOGS—Live, per hundred	3.75
CATTLE— " "	3.25@6.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" " " sheared	1.50@1.00
POTATOES—per bu., new	1.00
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	10
APPLES— "	05
" Green ₩ bus	1.00@2.00
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	27@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ₩ lb	06@07
" Salted cured	8½@.8¾
" Calf	9@10
" Dry salt	12½@12½
" Dry Flint	14@16
SHEEP PELTS—Shearlings [Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	15@20
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	.50@.55
" Common, ₩ lb	.25@.10
TALLOW—Cake	5@6½
" Barrel	6½

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MR. D. W. BRENNEMAN wishes to announce to the public that he has engaged, at his own expense, the great American Actress, Miss JANE COOMBS, who will appear at the

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WEDNESDAY EVE., NOV. 5TH,

In her famous character of

"Lady Gay Spanker,"

In Dion Boucicault's Brilliant Comedy of

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Thursday Eve., Nov. 6th,

In her Great Role of "JULIA," in Sheridan Knowles' great play of

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Monday Eve., Nov. 3d.

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Every Child receives a present.

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October 30-d6t

W. T. CUSSINS,
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Room 5, Powers' Block.

PUBLICATION

Notice in Attachment.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
COUNTY OF MACON

In Circuit Court to December term, A. D. 1873.

BERTHOLD STINE, } ATTACHMENT.
vs.
FRANK BROWN.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, to the said Frank Brown, that a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, dated the 21st day of October, A. D, 1873, at the suit of the said Berthold Stine, and against the estate of Frank Brown, for the sum of Seventy-five Dollars and Ninety-five Cents, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county to execute—which Writ is returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Frank Brown, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court on or before the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the court-house in the city of Decatur, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1873,

And give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said Berthold Stine; and so much of the property attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

W. T. CUSSINS, Plff's Atty.
October 23, 1873—d1w.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, to the December term, A. D. 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That suit has been commenced and is now pending in the Circuit Court of said Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Jacob Bunn is complainant and Nelson M. Allyn and Harriet E. Allyn are defendants; that summons has issued in said cause, returnable to the December term of said court, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the

First day of December, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken as confessed and said cause heard *ex parte*. E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon Co., Ill.
JAMES C. LAKE, Sol. for Compl't.
October 20, 1873—d1w.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, December term, A. D 1873.

CHARLES M. CALDWELL and FIELDING CALDWELL, by the firm name of CALDWELL & BRO,
vs.
FRANK BROWN

Notice is hereby given to the said defendant in the above entitled cause, that the same is now pending in said court, and that a Writ of Attachment was issued therein from said court on the 21st day of October, A. D 1873, at the suit of the said Charles M. Caldwell and Fielding Caldwell, by the firm name of Caldwell & Bro., against the estate of the said Frank Brown, for the sum of Thirty-six and 50-100 Dollars, returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at Decatur, in said county, on

Monday, the 1st day of December next,

Which said Writ has been returned levied upon the estate of the said Frank Brown; and unless the said Frank Brown shall appear, give bail and plead within the time limited for his appearance in said cause, judgment will be entered and the estate so attached will be sold.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & RONEY, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
October 21, 1873-d4aw.

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.

OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

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Is the best looking and best doing SOFT COAL STOVE, at a price within reach of "the million," ever put on the market. Its performances excel any thing yet produced in much higher priced soft coal stoves.

Call and see it in Operation,

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October 20, 1873—dawtf.

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C. F. HARGIS, DECATUR

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A FIRST-CLASS RESTAURANT in connection with the store.

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Prices to Suit All!

CALL AND SEE.

NO. 8 WATER STREET

East side MILLER'S OLD STAND.

October 9, 1873-daw3m.

Administrators' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of John G. Taylor, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur on Monday, the 15th day of December, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

W. T. MOFFETT,
D. Z. TAYLOR,
Sept. 11, 1873—w-6t. Administrators.

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NEW DRY GOODS HOUSE,

No. 21 North Water St.,

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Dry Goods, Notions AND Fancy Goods.

☞ Give Him a Trial!

Decatur, May 3, 1873-dtf.

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VEGETABLE STORE.

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Has opened a new Vegetable Stand in Wm Cantrill's new brick building,

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Fresh Lettuce, Radishes, Cabbage, Asparagus, Oranges and Lemons,

Can be procured every day from this date and other vegetables and fruit in season.

☞ Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

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For Blacksmiths' use, For sale as low as the lowest, and

Delivered to all parts of the City

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October 29, 1873—d&wdm.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

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In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of PATRICK FITZSIMMONS, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of an order of said court, made at Springfield, in said district, on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1873, a second general meeting of creditors of said bankrupt will be held at Decatur, in said district, on the

18th day of November, A. D. 1873,

At 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of James C Lake, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy in said district, for the purposes named in the twenty-seventh section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

M. F. KANAN, Assignee.

October 23, 1873—d2t.

CONSUMPTION!

AND ITS CURE!

Victims of this awful disease are found in every neighborhood, in almost every house. For them and for their friends, we have tidings of good cheer and hope—the announcement of a most important discovery, firmly based upon common sense and reason, by which the terrible malady is positively controlled, and its victims are restored to health.

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Carbolated Cod Liver Oil

Is not a secret empirical nostrum. It is a happy combination of two remedies known to physicians everywhere as the best means of combating consumption. This combination is Mr. Wilson's discovery, and is founded upon the following

SOUND REASONING.

Consumption is decay. Soothing, expectorant remedies are only useful as palliatives, they do not reach the cause—they do not stop the decay. Tonic medicines strengthen the life forces and prolong the battle, but the decay goes steadily on, and sooner or later the victim must yield. Climatic changes are sometimes good, but they seldom wholly cure. In short, the very first thing to be done is to STOP THE DECAY; then apply the restorative, tonic and strength giving treatment. Think a moment. The Lungs are decaying—tubercles, ulcerations cavities and deposits of poisonous matter (pus) are forming. The circulation carries this poison all over the body. Wasting, loss of appetite, enervation, night sweats, and all the terrible symptoms appear; is it worth while to doctor the *symptoms*, which are merely the results, while the *decay*, which is the cause, is eating up the life springs?

Those two things are well known by the best physicians:

1st, *Carbolic acid positively arrests Decay.* It is the most powerful antiseptic in the known world. Even dead bodies are preserved by it. Entering into the circulation, it at once grapples with corruption, and decay ceases. It purifies the sources of disease.

2d. *Cod Liver Oil is Nature's best assistant* in resisting Consumption. It is at once a food, a tonic, a purifier, and a healer. It braces up and supplies the vital forces, feeds the wasted system, and enables nature to regain her foothold. For these purposes nothing can compare with Cod Liver Oil.—This is the theory of

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Official City and County Paper.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY W. WAGGONER as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk.

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WE are authorized to announce DR. IRA B. CURTIS as an independent candidate for County Treasurer.

WE are authorized to announce MRS. FRANCES L. HICKMAN as a candidate for Superintendent of Schools for Macon Co.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...French mushrooms, at Imboden's.

...Logrenia, with his budget of fun and wonders, opens at Macon Hall to-night. He will have something new every evening during the week, and presents will be distributed at the close of each night's performance.

...People seemed wonderfully inclined, yesterday, to keep the inside moist as well as the outside. Quite a number of chaps got hilarious and joyful, giving expression to their happy frame of mind in loud talking and laughing, with a liberal mixture of profanity.

...Secure your seats for Miss Jane Coombs' theater.

...We hear rumors of some pugilistic demonstrations in the region of the beer gardens yesterday, but have not learned who struck Billy Patterson—indeed, we have not learned, positively, that he was struck at all.

...For choice spices and pickles, of every variety, go to J. Ullrich & Co's.

...We were shown, on Saturday evening, a piece of the slate taken from the coal shaft. It is of a grayish color, and decidedly hard and flinty; digging will necessarily proceed slowly until this layer of slate is passed.

...Reserved seats for Miss Coombs' theater can be secured at Abbott's jewelry store.

...Amusements are plenty this week.—Something is going on every night, and on Thursday evening there are three different entertainments—Jane Coombs at the Opera House, Logrenia at Macon Hall and the entertainment given by the Daughters of Rebekah at Concordia Hall.

...The grading of East Main street is going on finely, and the men doing business there will soon rejoice in having the best thoroughfare in town. It will be a little rough at first, but the cinders will soon pack, and will make a dry street in the muddiest time.

...Miss Jane Coombs as "Lady Gay Spanker," on Wednesday evening.

...Matrimonial rumors are flying through the air like snow flakes. How many of them will culminate in actual business we cannot say; where there is so much smoke there is probably some fire, and when the fire breaks out it will be duly chronicled with its attendant destruction—we mean of pies and cakes.

...Secure your seats for Miss Coombs' theater.

...I. Vincent Park has retired from the editorial chair of the *Local Review.*

...The storm of yesterday cleared away about sunset, and gave a lovely evening, bating the mud underfoot. It grew cooler toward morning, and froze the mud so that traveling is anything but agreeable to-day. A heavy white frost also covered the walks, making them so slippery that a fellow needed to look well to his goings, or the first he knew he didn't go.

...Weather mongers promise us fine weather after the moon fulls. That event is near at hand, so we will rejoice in hope, though our opinion is that sunshine has more to do with the weather than moonshine. We are not particular, however, as to what brings good weather, if it only comes.

...For all the wrong and foolish things which men do, except one, there is a motive. Men get drunk to gratify their appetite. If they steal or rob it is the hope of gain; if they murder it is usually to gratify revenge, but when they indulge in profane swearing it is without motive or reason.—No man ever made a cent by the practice; it gratifies no appetite, and certainly cannot gratify revenge by inflicting injury upon any person. The practice, then, is not only wrong, but foolish in the extreme

Change of Time.—There is a slight change in the running time on the T., W. & W. Railroad, going into effect to-day. The time-table in our paper to day has the changes duly indicated. Travelers will do well to make a note of this.

Trains on the New Road.—We call attention to the time-table of the I., B. & W. Railway, giving the time of the arrival and departure of trains over the Champaign, Monticello and Decatur extension. For the present trains start from the I. C. junction, just north of the city limits.

The Churches.—Another rainy Sabbath greeted us yesterday, and through the forenoon the storm was such as to interfere, seriously, with church going. Congregations in all the churches were small.

At the Baptist church, the pastor took for his text the words of Christ in Matthew 19: 14—"Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven." The reverend gentleman dwelt upon the importance of the early religious education of children, and exhorted his people to take their children to church, and said nothing would please him more than to see his church crowded with children and youth every Sabbath. Communion service followed the sermon.

At the two Methodist churches, pulpits were exchanged by Dr. Stevenson and Mr. McElroy, in the morning. In the evening, at Stapp's Chapel, a communion service followed the evening sermon. At the First Methodist, the pastor took for his text the words of Paul, "Brethren, ye have been called unto liberty," and delivered an eloquent sermon of about three-quarters of an hour in length.

So far as we know the pulpits of other churches in the city, where service was held, were supplied by the regular pastors.

Collection for Memphis.—The collection for the Memphis sufferers aggregated $86,10, and was forwarded on Saturday night by J. R. Gorin, Esq.

Fighting by Agreement.—On Saturday a couple of young bloods from the country got into a war of words while in town, and were spoiling for a fight. Fearing the penalty that might follow if they pounded each other within the city limits, they agreed to retire outside and settle their little trouble according to the rules of the ring. Accordingly they selected their friends to stand by and see fair play, and started down Wood street, followed by a crowd of men and boys. When just outside the city limits, hats and coats were doffed and given in charge of the seconds, and everything was made ready for a sanguinary conflict. When all was ready the combatants squared off and pitched in.—Two or three passes sufficed to frighten one of the braves, so that he dropped upon the ground and cried for quarter. Here hostilities ceased, and the crowd came back to town. We understand that a surgeon was on the ground, ready to set his broken bones, and pour oil and wine upon the wounds.

Some Radish.—Mr. John H. Ebert, living on North Water street, left at our office this morning a radish, measuring twenty-five inches in length, twenty-nine inches in circumference, and weighing ten pounds. The fact of its weight not being proportionate to its size is owing to its being hollow. Had it grown solid it could not have weighed less than twenty pounds. It beats anything we ever saw in the radish line, and it is worthy of remark that it never went to seed. This wonderful vegetable growth is on exhibition at the REPUBLICAN office.

Long Evenings.—As the evenings are growing longer our young people will do well to inaugurate a series of social parties or visits where they may spend an occasional evening in pleasant social intercourse. This will be a much pleasanter mode of passing time than to gather about billiard tables, and congregate in saloons.

Daughters of Rebekah.—Don't forget that this order is to give an entertainment at Concordia Hall on Thursday evening. A variety of refreshments will be served, and the company will be entertained by tableaux, charades, etc. Admission fee, 10 cents.

Late Trains.—The old trouble of last fall and winter, with late trains going west on the T., W. & W. Railroad, is being experienced again. Nearly every day the westward bound train, due here at 12:10, is from one to five hours late. This subjects people going from here to St. Louis or Pekin to great inconvenience, as those trains usually wait for the train from the East.

Brick-bats Thrown into a train.—On Saturday evening, as the accommodation freight train on the T., W. & W. Railroad was about two miles east of Niantic, coming this way, some desperadoes threw several brick-bats through a window of the car in which the passengers were seated. One of the missiles barely escaped the head of Mrs. McElfresh, and another hit a gentleman upon the arm. It is not known who the miscreants were: should they be caught punishment should be meted out to them to the last extremity the law allows.

Election To-morrow.—Gentlemen, are your skids well laid and your working forces thoroughly marshalled? This is the last day for work. Remember, the long pull, the strong pull, and the pull all together is what does the business. Have your men instructed to vote early and often, and to keep at it, and unless your competitor gets more votes than you do you are certain of an election.

Remember that on Wednesday evening Miss Jane Coombs opens at the Opera House, for two nights only. Those who wish to see her splendid rendition of "Lady Gay Spanker," in "London Assurance," will do well to secure seats early.

Police Record.—On Saturday John Foran was in Justice Albert's court to answer to the charge of intoxication. John said the charge was founded on fact, and paid $3 and cost for the entertainment.

Sylvester Allen was in the same fix, and appeared before his honor with $3 to appease offended justice.

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Nov. 2—deod2w,

A Lively Runaway and Smash-Up.—This morning as a boy about a dozen years old, in the employ of Mr. Adams, the grocer, was coming down North Main street in the delivery wagon, just as he got to the Prairie street crossing some one in another wagon shook a buffalo robe, which frightened the boy's horse and it became unmanagable. In trying to rein up his horse, the boy ran him against a wagon that was passing, and broke one shaft of his own. The horse then started full tilt, and turning the corner on to East Main street, rushed down that street at an alarming rate of speed. When near the Water street crossing the boy seeing that the horse was beyond his control, and that both shafts of his wagon were broken, climbed over the back of the seat and let himself out at the hind end of the wagon. The rapid rate at which the horse was going plunged him headlong into the mud, bruising him somewhat but not seriously injuring him. The animal thus left to itself, kept on down Main street to Broadway, then turning north was brought to a halt near Prairie street. The wagon was pretty badly broken, but the horse escaped without serious injury.

House Robbery.—The residence of a German named Wiesner, living on South Broadway, was entered by robbers on Saturday night, between 7 and 8 o'clock, and about one hundred and thirty dollars in money, with some other articles, taken.—The entrance was effected by reaching through the window, near the door, and turning the key. Mr. Wiesner is a hard-working man, and the loss of this money is deeply felt by him, it being the accumulation of an all summer's labor. At the time the robbery was committed Wiesner and his wife were in the garden doing some chores.

Died,—October 17th, near Forsyth, of typhoid fever, William Lehew, aged 31 years, 3 months and 13 days.

The deceased was quite an extensive farmer, and leaves a wife and one child.—The funeral was attended by a large concourse of friends and neighbors who followed his remains to their final resting place, in Boiling Spring Cemetery.

Masonic.—Regular meeting of Ionic Lodge this (Monday) evening at 7 o'clock, at old hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited By order

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Intending to Retire from the Photograph business in about 10 days, I would request those who wish pictures to call immediately, and make their sittings, thereby giving me sufficient time to finish up the work in elegant style.

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November 3, 1873-d.

Dr. Kierstead, who has been occupying office parlors at Priest's Hotel, for a few days past, curing diseases by the application of his new system of auscultation and percussion, is highly spoken of by those who have received treatment at his hands. He seems not only to be an enthusiast in his profession, but to understand it thoroughly as well. He is a most agreeable and polite gentleman, of large experience in the practice of medicine, and no one can converse with him without being convinced that he has a host of new and important ideas in his line. Dr. Kierstead will remain here until Wednesday evening. [Nov 3-3d

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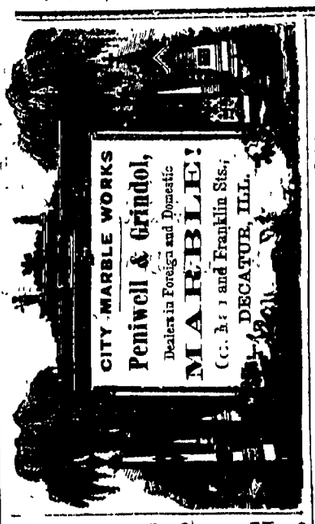

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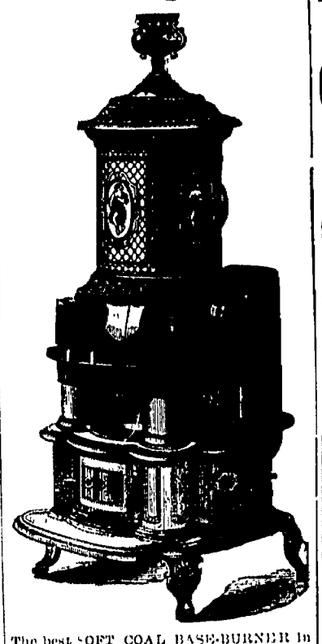

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

In the Macon County Circuit Court to the December term, A. D. 1873.

William H. Webb vs. Alice Falconer, Mary E. Falconer, Frank A. Falconer, Anna M. Falconer, Thomas C. Hinkle and Elizabeth Falconer.

Bill to Foreclose Mortgage.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, Frank A. Falconer and Elizabeth Falconer, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the said court, therefore you, the said Frank A. Falconer and Elizabeth Falconer, are hereby notified that the above entitled suit is now pending against you in the said court, on the chancery side thereof; that a summons therein has been issued against you, returnable on the first day of the said term of said court, to be begun and holden at the Court-house in the city of Decatur, in the said county and state, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1873

And that unless you then and there appear and plead, answer, demur, or otherwise make defense, a default will be entered against you and a decree rendered by the said court in pursuance of the bill of complaint filed in said suit.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk

JOHN W PITMAN, Sol. for Complt

October 2, 1873-d4wd.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the December term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D. 1873.

SAMUEL CAMP, Guardian of the property of Joseph D. Long, vs. SAMUEL CORN.

Attachment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, to the said defendant, Samuel Corn, that the above entitled cause is now pending in said court, and that a Writ of Attachment was issued therein from said court on the 18th day of August, A. D 1873, for the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars and Sixty-Eight Cents, directed to the Sheriff of said county, and returnable on the first day of the said term of said court, to be held on the

First Monday in the month of December, A. D. 1873,

At the Court house in the city of Decatur in said county of Macon, which said Writ of Attachment has been returned, levied upon certain of the estate of you, the said Samuel Corn, and also served upon Almond H Jones and George W. Cutler, as garnishees.

Now, unless you, the said Samuel Corn, the above named defendant, shall personally be and appear on the first day of the said term of court give bail and plead to said action, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be sold to satisfy the same, together with the interest and costs thereon accruing, according to law.

Decatur, September 21, 1873

E. McCLELLAN,
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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the December term, A. D. 1873.

NANCY JONES, }
vs } IN CHANCERY.
RICHARD JONES, }

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Richard Jones, defendant above-named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Richard Jones that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof; and that a summons thereupon issued out of the said court against said defendant, returnable on the first Monday of December next, 1873, as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Richard Jones, shall personally be and appear before the Circuit Court of Macon county on the first day of the term thereof to be holden at Decatur, in said county, on the

1st Monday of December, 1873,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

W. C. JOHNS, Compl't's Sol.

October 22, 1873—d1w.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a bill has been filed and suit is now pending on the chancery side of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, wherein Adaline E. Hodges is complainant and Jesse F. Hodges is defendant; that affidavit of the non-residence of the said Jesse F. Hodges has been filed, and that process of summons has issued therein, and is returnable into said court at the court-house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday in the month of December, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place, if said defendant does not appear and make defence, the matters alleged in said bill will be taken for confessed as true, and said cause heard *ex parte* as to him

LEMISTON McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Macon Circuit Court.
R H MERWEATHER, Sol. for Complt,
October 20, 1873—d4w.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

To all persons concerned:

TAKE NOTICE, That the undersigned, guardian of Mary Kelly, a minor, will apply to the County Court of said county, at the next October term thereof, to be holden at the Court-house in said county of Macon, on the third Monday of October next, for an order to sell the following described real estate, belonging to said minor, and situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing ten chains and sixty-one links south of the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of section fifteen, in township sixteen, north, range two east of the third principal meridian; running thence south three chains and four links to a place of beginning, running thence south three chains and four links; thence east three chains and twenty-nine and one-half links, thence north three chains and four links, thence west three chains and twenty-nine and one-half links, to the place of beginning—containing one acre, and that the petition therefor is now on file in the office of the clerk of said court.

ANTHONY VOGITT,
Guardian of Mary Kelly.

September 27, 1873—d4t.

In the Macon county Circuit Court to the December term, A. D 1873.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

SAMUEL G. MALONE,
vs
HENRY C. WARMOTH, JOSEPH DIZNEY and BENJAMIN ALLISON

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a bill has been filed and suit is now pending on the chancery side of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, wherein Samuel G. Malone is complainant and Henry C. Warmoth, Joseph Dizney and Benjamin Allison are defendants; that, on due enquiry, the residence of the above named Henry C. Warmoth cannot be found; and that process of summons has issued therein, and is returnable into said court at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday in the month of December, A. D. 1873,

At which time and place, if said defendants do not appear and make defence, the matters alleged in said bill will be taken for confessed as true, and said cause heard *ex parte* as to them

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a certain suit is now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of said county of Macon, on the chancery side thereof, by bill and supplemental bill, wherein Elias Kost, Joseph S. Farnum, suing to the use of the Quinsigamond National Bank of Worcester, William H. Whiteside, to the use of the First National Bank of Sabbath, Charles D. Bond, to the use of the First Wayne National Bank, William H. Howell and Thomas L. Barr, partners by the name of Howell, Barr & Co., George S. Allison, and John M. Long, Peter Black and Robert H. Allstatter, partners by the name of Long, Black & Allstatter, Edwin Bayliss, Thomas Ryan and Z. Reed Brockway are plaintiffs, and Jacob R. Freese, Isaac Freese, David Garver, John R. Race, Albert R. Fouts, Stephen Shipman, William L. Hammer, Sullivan Burgess, C. B. Adams, Hannah Freese, Fred Lewis, A. M. Livingston, William B. Livingston, Thomas Cooper, Ada L. Libbey, J. Howard Livingston, Wesley C. Freese, John L. Mansfield, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Samuel K. Wilson, Anastasia Gavin, Otis L. Wheelock, B. Dunham, Nicholas Saunders, F. W. Sharp, James Buckingham, Mary P. Palmer, Lucretia Biggs, Emma J. Vaughn, John A. Hamilton, John B. Rosencrantz, James M. Alexander, administrator of the estate of T. K. Alexander, deceased, and the unknown heirs and administrators of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright; Lucinda B. Allyn and Ellen J. Shipman, administrators of the estate of Stephen Shipman, Charles Shipman, William Shipman, and the unknown heirs of Stephen Shipman, and the unknown heirs and administrators of Anastasia Gavin, deceased, are defendants; and that summons in said cause is issued, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, to be holden at the Court-house in Decatur, Ill., said Macon county, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1873,

And that unless you, the said defendants and each of you, then and there be and appear in said court to plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill and the matters and things therein charged and stated, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court Macon Co., Ill.

October 11, 1873—d10d.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D. 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a certain suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of said county of Macon, on the Chancery side thereof wherein Charles A. Tuttle is complainant and Lavina Platt, Edward Platt, George Platt, Jenevia Platt, Albert Lewis Platt, Walter Platt, Charles Platt, William Platt, Ben C. Platt, and Percival Platt, are defendants, and summons in said cause is issued, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the

First Monday of December, A. D 1873,

and that unless you, the said defendants, and each of you, then and there be and appear in said court to plead, answer or demur to said complainants bill and the matters and things therein charged and stated, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

E. McCLELLAN,
Clk of the Circuit Court, for Macon Co., Ill.

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October 10, 1873-d11.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, December term, A. D. 1873.

ISAAC W. EHRMAN, }
vs } ATTACHMENT.
FRANK BROWN, }

Notice is hereby given to the said defendant in the above entitled cause, that the same is now pending in said court, and that a Writ of Attachment was issued therein from said court on the 21st day of October, A. D. 1873, at the suit of the said Isaac W. Ehrman, against the estate of the said Frank Brown for the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county, on the

Monday, the 1st day of December next,

Which said Writ has been returned levied upon the estate of the said Frank Brown. And unless the said Frank Brown shall appear, give bail and plead within the time limited for his appearance in said cause, judgment will be entered and the estate so attached will be sold.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & HONY, Att'ys for Pl'ff.

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